ANYTHING ELSE?

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I'LL MAKE YOU AN OFFER.
FLIP
AN OFFER THAT WILL WORK IN YOUR FAVOR AS WELL.
BUT BEFORE I DO, LET ME ASK YOU ONE THING.

STEP

WHAT ARE YOU DOING AMONGST HUMANS? YOU ARE NOT ONE OF THEM.

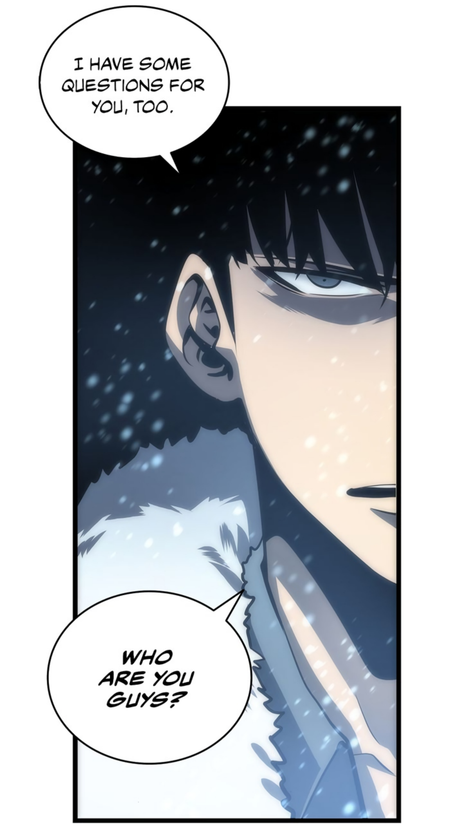
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
HAHA, I SUPPOSE YOU AREN'T AWARE.

WE HEAR VOICES IN OUR HEADS ALL THE TIME.
VOICES THAT TELL US TO KILL HUMANS.
BUT WE DON'T HEAR THEM IN YOUR PRESENCE.
THEY HEAR VOICES THAT TELL THEM TO KILL HUMANS...?
COULD IT BE SOMETHING SIMILAR TO THE ORDERS THE SYSTEM GIVES ME?
MAYBE THOSE VOICES DON'T APPLY TO ME...

BECAUSE THE SYSTEM HAS TURNED ME INTO A "PLAYER."
WE HAVE NO REASON TO FIGHT EACH OTHER.
WE DON'T WANT TO SUFFER ANY UNNECESSARY LOSSES EITHER.

ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS HAND OVER THOSE HUMANS BEHIND YOU.

THEN I PROMISE TO SPARE YOUR LIFE.
HOW ABOUT IT? DO WE HAVE A DEAL?


I HAVE SOME QUESTIONS FOR YOU, TOO.
WHO ARE YOU GUYS?

WHERE ARE YOU FROM, AND WHY DO YOU WISH TO KILL HUMANS?

WE...

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WHAT'S GOING ON? JUST NOW, HE...

DOES HE NOT WANT TO ANSWER MY QUESTION?
OR MAYBE...
HOW ABOUT IT? DO WE HAVE A DEAL?

DO YOU ACCEPT MY OFFER?

I DECLINE.

ARE YOU PLANNING ON FIGHTING ME AND MY MEN?
YOU'RE OUTNUMBERED. YOU THINK YOU'LL BE ABLE TO DEFEAT US BY YOURSELF?
WHOOOOOOSH

"OUTNUMBERED"?
WHO? ME?
AAAHH!
WHAT ARE THESE THINGS?!
M, MONSTERS...
MONSTERS ARE APPEARING OUT OF NOWHERE!!

DARK SOLDIERS AND BLACK ICE BEARS?!
ROAR
ROAR
GRRR
COULD IT BE...?! IS SUNG JINWOO BEHIND ALL THIS, TOO?!
FSHUUUU
UM... UH...

SORRY...
TT
GLANCE

...WHAT A PETTY GIMMICK.

A PETTY GIMMICK? YOU SURE ABOUT THAT?

SHINK
BOOM
CHOMP
BOOM
BOOM
STAB
GLARE
WHOOSH
CLANK

CALLING MY ARMY A "PETTY GIMMICK" WASN'T JUST BIG TALK.

ALTHOUGH I HAVE MORE TROOPS, I DON'T HAVE ENOUGH MANA TO BE ABLE TO SUSTAIN THEM FOR VERY LONG.

EVEN IF THEY'RE IMMORTAL, MY NUMBERS WILL GRADUALLY DECREASE IF THEY KEEP GETTING DESTROYED.

I've leveled up every single one of my shadows, so they'll be able to take on a few ice elves, but...

...the problem is that guy.

I can tell that he's a higher level than me.

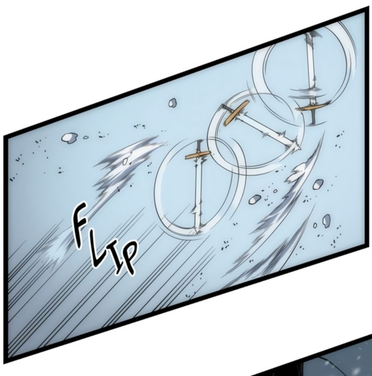
HE WON'T BE EASY TO DEFEAT, EVEN WITH IGRIS...
MY FOOT SOLDIERS WOULDN'T STAND A CHANCE AGAINST HIM.
IF I COULD JUST HAVE...
...AN EVEN STRONGER SHADOW!!
MY NAME IS BARUKA.

WHAT IS YOURS?

SUNG JINWOO.

CLACK

DASH


FLIP

KTUNK

WOOM

STOMP
ZZZT
WHOOSH
CLINK

CLANG

THWCK

ARGH!!

FLIP
TAP

I CAN'T REMEMBER THE LAST TIME I FELT EXCITED ABOUT A FIGHT.

KA
BOOM

BOOM

FWOOSH

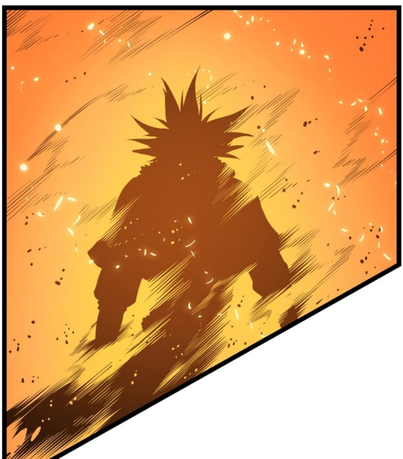
I BOUGHT SOME TIME THANKS TO MY MAGES...
NOW, THEN...

URGH...

THAT VOICE EARLIER... WAS SUNG JINWOO'S.
FOUR.
THAT PIECE OF SH*T...
FLINCH
I'M GONNA KILL HIM.
GRAB

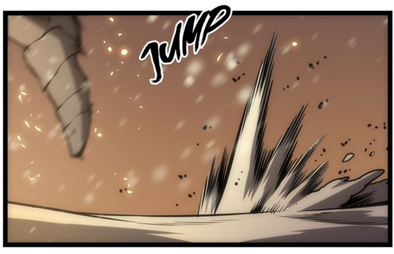
BLAZE

THERE'S NO WAY THAT ATTACK WAS ENOUGH TO KILL YOU...
DON'T LEAVE ME WAITING. COME ON OUT.

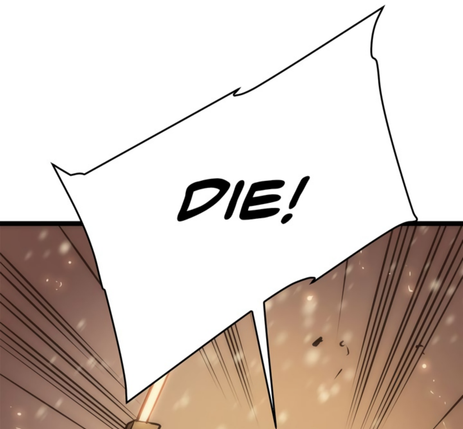


IS THIS REALLY ALL THAT YOUR SOLDIER CAN DO?!
WOOSH

WHOOSH


JUMP

JINWOO!


DIE!

SUNG JINWOO!!

SWOOSH

LOOKS LIKE THAT GUY IS OUT TO GET YOU, TOO.

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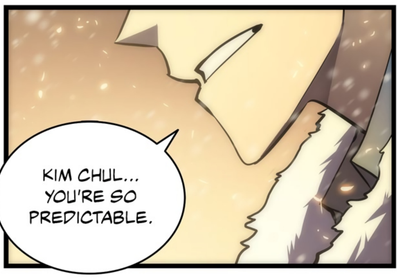
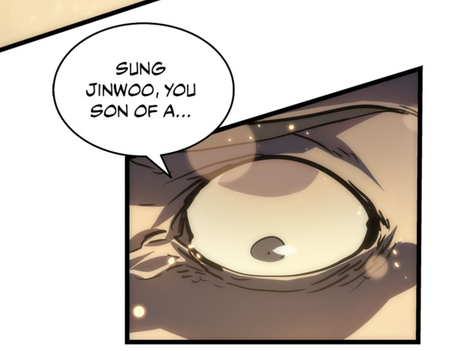


IGRIS.

SPLURT


SUNG JINWOO, YOU SON OF A...

YOU SAW THIS COMING...

...FROM
THE START.
DAMN IT...

ARISE.

To Be Continued...

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